A CUTTING

CAMPBELL PRESS

Volume 43, Number 22 | CAMPBELL, SANTA CLARA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA | Thursday, March 18, 1943

POLITICAL PARADE

By CLEM WHITAKER

"The world is only nine meals from anarchy!"

Spearheading its attack with that jarring bit of wisdom from some ancient philosopher, quoted with telling-effect by Congressman Alfred J. Elliott, California's powerful congressional delegation has launched an all-out drive in Washington to break the bottleneck which has held up construction of vitally-needed canals and waterways of the Central Valley Water Project.

Impatient with political obstructions which have halted work to get water to millions of acres of highly productive farm lands, Congressman Elliott bitterly condemned delays in building the water units of the project at a time when increased agricultural production is the imperative need of the nation.

"Food rationing brings home to everyone in America that we must abandon wishful thinking and Utopian planning and face stark reality," asserted Elliott. "If we are to avert anarchy and chaos in many part of the world, it means we must buckle our belts tighter and produce a lot more."

Then, citing the fact that the vast Central Valley Project will furnish 3,500,000 acres of the most fertile land in California with a regulated irrigation supply and protection from winter floods, Elloitt charged that while dams have been built to store the water that the work of building canals to take the water to the land has been blocked and delayed by "procrastination and lack of understanding of the vital importance of food production to the war program." Still another factor in preventing completion of essential units of the water program, he charged, has been undue emphasis by government bureaus on power phases of the project.

Congressman Tom Rolph of San Francisco, in an equally forceful plea for congressional support to cut through the red tape and get the project completed submitted a resolution from the San Francisco Board of Supervisors demanding action and declared:

"The water tables in the lower San Joaquin valley are dropping at an alarming rate—and the Friant-Kern and Madera canals should be completed without delay. It will require very little in the way of materials and the water received will increase food production as well as the production of guayule rubber, so vitally needed in the war effort."

Virtually all members of the California delegation are united in the fight to break the bottleneck and get funds allocated for immediate work on canal construction—and the food crisis has given tremendous impetus to the drive. The pressure has also been turned on from Sacramento by both Governor Warren and the Legislature and champions of the project are hopeful that the Bureau of Reclamation will soon be "given the green light" to commence and complete the necessary irrigation work.

Reservations for Bond Dinner Being Taken

Plans for the Bond Dinner to be held Friday, April 9, being sponsored by the Campbell Kiwanis club are progressing very satisfactorily with sales already scheduled.

The ladies of the Methodist church have agreed to do the catering and that assures the meal will be well taken care of.

The program arrangements are being made by Jack Murdock who reports that the talent will be supplied by the U. S. Army and the speaker will be engaged by the Second Armored Corps stationed in San Jose.

Local Red Cross Sewing Unit Needs Machines

The Red Cross sewing unit is in great need of more sewing machines. The new headquarters has stimulated attendance so that more machines are needed.

Mrs. Ray Wood, chairman of the production unit, desires the public to know that these machines are only loaned and are kept in first class condition and repair.

So, if you have a machine not in regular use kindly take it to headquarters, now between the Sprouse-Reitz store and Dr. Morgan's office, or phone Mrs. Wood.

Mrs. W. H. Grattan Presides at El Paradiso Council

The El Paradiso council of P.-T .A. met last Friday morning at the home of Mrs. A. R. Trogden on Blossom Hill road, with Mrs. Worthin F. Grattan presiding.

Following the business session a pot luck luncheon was enjoyed in the roomy gardens of the home.

Mrs. D. T. Jenkins of Los Gatos conducted the study course which the group is persuing and Mrs. Grattan discussed "Finger Printing of Children."

Yearly reports were made with the aid of the various unit presidents.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lindo of Campbell, a boy, Davy Lynn, March 7, at O'Connor sanitarium.

David H. Knowles of Campbell is now at Miama Beach where in a few weeks he expects to receive his wings in the air corps. He had his primary training at Jackson, Tenn.

TWO OF A KIND

- Items In Brief -

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Hart of Campbell are parents of a son, Gary Emerson, born March 9 at San Jose hospital.

Harry Evans, Jr., arrived in Campbell last week after several months of sea duty and found that his mother had gone to New York to be with her husband who is stationed there with the navy. As Evans, Jr., had a thirty day leave he left at once for the east to stage a family reunion, which is an event for these three.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stray who had been at Loma Linda and a stop over at Chino to visit their son's family, returned home last night.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Herman Ortwein Fleming of San Jose and Doris Ora Porter of Campbell.

James G. Relfes Married 60 Years

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Relfe, North Central avenue and Minna street, have attained the quite unusual event of a sixtieth wedding anniversary, the date, March 11.

Unfortunately there could be no celebration as both Mr. and Mrs. Relfe are confined to their beds. The husband, who is 84 has suffered from severe heart attacks from which he rallied several times and was up and about again to greet his friends. His wife who is 79 is also ill.

This remarkable couple, both members of Santa Clara valley pioneer families were married in San Jose in 1883. The bride was Miss Lucy Loveland who was born at Lawrence station in a house still standing.

Mr. Relfe is a descendant of the Rutledge family on his mother's side and was a rancher in the Lawrence district in earlier years.

Robert R. Gates who graduated from the Campbell Union High school as a life member of the California Scholarship Federation, is a mid-year graduate of San Jose State and today will receive his diploma conferring an AB degree. Winter quarter graduates are this year being given a senior banquet this evening as many will be called to service before June commencement.

Fifteen members of The Footlighters will entrain Saturday for San Francisco to attend a performance of "The Drunkard."

G. S. Robson went up to San Francisco Sunday and was accompanied home by his son, Philip, who is spending spring vacation here, and a few days next week with the George R. Strays in Chino. April 1 he begins his internship at the San Francisco County hospital, leading to his doctor of medicine degree.

Henry Keith Robertson, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Robertson, Rt. 1, has been graduated from the Navy's trade school for diesel operators on the campus of the University of Missouri at Columbia, Mo. He will be assigned to duty with the fleet or at a naval shore station.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Krohn of San Francisco will spend the week-end with Mrs. Krohn's mother, Mrs. Edna F. Smith, North Second street.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Barbette Browne, daughter of Mrs. Annette Mahoney Browne, to Dr. Hugh Grant Cramer. The marriage rites will be solemnized Saturday afternoon, March 20 at 3:00 o'clock in the Stanford Memorial chapel.

Spanish Costumes Feature of Gala Men's Night

A delicious "South of the Border" dinner was held at the Country Woman's club last Monday evening. The occasion was the annual Men's Night when club members entertained their husbands and friends.

Gay costumes representing Latin American countries were much in evidence. Everything from stately South American Senoras to Mexican peasants were represented.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Archibald won the prize for the best-dressed couple. Mrs. Archibald wore a Portuguese costume with bright colored stripes, while her husband was dressed in matching colors as a typical Spanish Don.

Receiving the prize for the funniest was Mark E. Purmort, a Mexican peon with a market basket, while Mrs. Ira R. Abbott was named the most beautiful lady.

Judges for the event were Mrs. Emelia Lindeman, Mrs. G. E. Jeffers and Joseph Agostinho.

Mexican serapes and travel posters were hung on the walls while bowls of torch lilies were placed about the room. An interesting arrangement of cactii decorated the mantle. The tables were colorful with bright colored candles placed in bottles covered with candle wax.

Mrs. Emelia Lindeman of San Jose was the distinguished speaker of the evening and completely captivated her audience with her charming

(Continued on page 4)

Lieut. Frank Lovoi Now Instructor At Victorville

Lieutenant Frank Richard Lovoi, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Lovoi of Parr avenue, who graduated second highest in his class at Victorville, Calif., has now been assigned to duty there as an instructor.

Lieut. Lovoi was born in Campbell and while in high school here was student body president and a prominent member of the football team, graduating in 1937.

At San Jose State college from which he graduated in 1941 he was president of his fraternity, of the Inter-fraternity council, and of the senior class.

St. Lucy's Parish Will Hold Party

A progressive whist card party will be held by St. Lucy's parish of Campbell on Saturday evening, March 20, at 8 o'clock in the hall on South Third street and Rincon avenue.

The committee in charge includes Mesdames F. H. Smith, J. R. Furtado, M. Fields, and J. O. Souto.

There will be many attractive prizes, but do not include a quilt.

The public is cordially invited.

Red Cross War Fund Drive Now Fully Organized

The Red Cross War Fund drive has been fully organized now and solicitors are busy in all sections of the district.

One of the first reports to come in was from the Campbell Union Grammar school, where faculty and pupils gave $216.21.

Working under Mrs. E. R. Kennedy are:

Mesdames Dave Ribble, R. K. Kuykendall, Charles Reynolds, O. McQuinn, H. Blohn, J. Perry, L. D. Privett, W. Lipford, W. H .Grattan, Nellie Mills, Robert Weaver, Roscoe Page, G. Walton, J.B. Collins, A. W. Wellington, C. B. Field, E. Smith, George Jeffers, C. E. Williams, G. E. Farley, J. C. Agostinho, H. J. Smith and C. E. Hancock.

With Mrs. F. A. Jacobson:

Mesdames Klaude Block, H. F. Cousins, Rex. K. Fuller, F. Smith, Lloyd Selig, C. P. Klassen, Milton Robertson, W. N. Lloyd, Monica Parr, M. Trigueiro, W. H. Van Dyke, T. A. Robinson, J. Whitehouse, L. Dardanelli, J. C. McBain, D. H. Baldwin, Hazel Kennedy, E. Winkler, E E. Lanphear, Henry Young and Helen Stray, Jane Waltrip, Dorothy Merriman, and Messrs, E. C. Lee, L. J. Carboni, M. E. Purmort.

With Mrs. Clarence Fagalde in Cambrian:

Mesdames Arna F. Doerr, R. Torrington, Life Price, Oliver Price, Laura Sparaco, Walter C. Elkey, J. Evans, M. H. Farnham, Elver Bohnett, L. G. Thompson, R. J. Flagg, Henry Jensen, G. L. Taggart, Anna Bernardasci.

With Ray Bishop in Moreland:

Mrs. Anthony Jurras, Mrs. H. Cushman and Mrs. J. Sullivan.

These workers are very anxious that every home be contacted but if any one is missed through repeated absences, donations may be left at Guy Farley's real estate office or Dan Clark's drug store. Every contribution is needed and will be used advisedly.

All of these people are giving of their time and effort as well as money.

Lieut. Strangman Alive But In Prison Camp

Word that Lieut. William Strangman is alive in a Japanese prison camp in the Philippines has been received by his relatives here.

Lieut. Strangman is the nephew of Mrs. H. Leigh Cross of Leigh avenue, and Mrs. John Hume of Dry Creek road, and the son of Mrs. Agnes Leigh Strangman of Santa Monica and Harry Strangman, an executive of the Douglas Aircraft.

This is the first word received from Strangman, a naval doctor, since the fall of Corregidor, and is most happy news for his relatives, members of the family for whom Leigh avenue was named.

CAMPBELL PRESS
PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY
AT CAMPBELL, CALIF., BY
Edna F. Smith

Entered as second class matter Sept. 30, 1904, at the Postoffice at Campbell, Calif., under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.
Subscription $1.50 year. Advertising rates on request.

NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION 1943 Active Member

MEN ARE DYING

"ABSENTEEISM" is a word of which Captain Eddie Rickenbacker has made us fully conscious. His remarks on the subject, pointed and pungent, to the effect that men on Guadalcanal didn't take a day off whenever they felt like it, have brought forth both anathema on the one hand, and pledged support on the other. Patriots pledged themselves to work.

Speaking of absenteeism, someone made a survey of the members of Congress who were in their places when the House and Senate were conducting business one day recently. At noon, when the two Houses convened, 22 of the 96 Senators, and 47 of the 435 Representatives were present. An hour later, 52 Senators and 125 House members had foregathered, but still later while the House discussed a $6,250,000,000 Naval Appropriations Bill, and the Senate discussed a vocational rehabilitation bill, the numbers had dwindled again to about the original figure!

Maybe our Congressmen were engaged "in conference" outside the doors of the two Houses, but there has been a persistent fumbling of the tax question, and inflation isn't being controlled to any notable degree! No time now for long black cigars, under the blossoms of the famous Washington cherry trees. No time merely to obstruct. Much needs doing here at home, and men in Tunisia are dying for their country.

★ ★ ★ ★

TAKE A LOOK!

Take a look at California! What has she been up to during this last year? Figures from the State's Chamber of Commerce show she has been up to much! Her industrial activity stands at the highest level in our history. The industrial payrolls soared to $39,500,000 a week with over a million persons employed on January 1. Farm income hit a peak of a billion dollars for the first time.

Living costs, however, ring the bell. In San Francisco, the HCL is less than one per cent lower than that of Washington, D. C., which has the highest rate in the country . . . while farm labor costs went up from 25 to 100 per cent during the year, varying according to localities and crops.

Government officials predicted that 1943 farm production would exceed the 1942 record, but Secretary Wickard feels the prospects for this are such as to cause grave concern, due to shortages of machinery, labor and fertilizers.

For this reason, top priority rating now has been given materials for the farm machinery program, and our State Legislature is bending every effort to alleviate labor shortages. If we succeed in these efforts, we may be able to avoid a "first" we don't care to have—first in HCL!

★ ★ ★ ★

"NO RETREAT"

General Sir Bernard L. Montgomery told his British Eighth Army in Tunisia that the enemy was crippling himself and it would then be "our turn to attack him. There must be no withdrawal anywhere and of course, no surrender." Those words will go down in history.

★ ★ ★ ★

TRUMAN COMMITTEE

The Truman Committee, prophesying a grim year ahead, attributes shortcomings in the nation's war effort to three basic weaknesses, now being corrected: Inadequate over-all planning; conflicting authority; hesitancy to adopt unpopular policies even when the facts indicate their necessity. These seem to be the weaknesses all flesh is heir to.

DINNER FROM BOXES

The Army Quartermaster division points out that while it is buying many of the canned goods which the housewife finds gone from the grocery shelves, it is switching more and more to frozen and dehydrated fruits and vegetables to accommodate tight shipping space.

Now the Army is experimenting with compression. Dehydration takes the water out and reduces weight—presto, ten pounds of potatoes will go into a little box about six inches, by two, by three. Compression cuts down even more bulkiness!

Mrs. America, lugging home her week's rations of cans, and her awkward bouquets of carrots and celery, would feel at least lenient, if not enthusiastic, about skipping down to the grocer's and slipping into her purse a dinner of carrots, potatoes and steak done up in pill boxes!

No predictions about post-war dehydration can be made, for the housewife is an imponderable. Production would depend on the extensiveness of demand and distribution. But with the scientific mass circulation of retailers dotting the country, it wouldn't be long before back to the farmer's table would go dehydrated flakes of the very vegetables he marketed full-sized not long before.

The can opener of today may well become the box opener of tomorrow!

★ ★ ★ ★

PUERTO RICO

President Roosevelt last week advocated home rule for Puerto Rico, the tropic isle which has been under our flag for 45 years. Its two million citizens have been crowded together in poverty and squalor, suffering from unemployment, and losses in shipping and island trade, due to the war.

The Puerto Rican Legislature last month petitioned Congress to end the island's colonial regime and permit its people to select their own form of government by popular vote. They already have universal suffrage and an elective Legislature, but its acts are subject to veto by the Governor who is appointed by our President. This tiny spot in the Carribean has been converted into an Atlantic Gibraltar for defense of the Panama Canal.

★ ★ ★

IT'S SLICED AGAIN!

A week or ten days ago, it was a high misdemeanor if not a felony to be caught going home with a loaf of sliced bread, but now, as the ads all proclaim, "It's sliced again!" The idea that we were all going to slice our way to victory with the old bread knife turned out to be half-baked—and now Washington has decided to sweep up the crumbs and be done with it.

The bread-slicing fiasco, in itself, was of little importance. American housewives would have gladly sliced their bread for the duration, if any saving of time or materials had been accomplished by it. But this minor comedy of errors is illustrative of an off-again, on-again trend in government directives which unfortunately applies to many more serious matters as well, and which badly needs correcting.

Let's cut it straight, gentlemen, regardless of the cost. We may not know which side our bread is buttered on—in fact, it may not be buttered at all—but let's lay it on the board. It's better that way!

★ ★ ★ ★

SERVICEMEN'S RATION BOOKS

Many families are failing to turn in ration books of sons and daughters who have entered the services, the Office of Price Administration reported.

According to the OPA ruling, ration books are to be returned to the holder's local rationing board as soon as he or she enters any branch of the forces.

The OPA also called attention to the ruling that ration books of deceased persons should be returned to the local boards.

Orchard City Grange

Meeting of Orchard City Grange, 333, held in I. O. O. F. hall in Campbell, March 9, 1943.

Lecture program under Mrs. Nellie C. Rutherford.

Daniel O'Neill played the following numbers on his accordion: "Tantalizing," "Rose Room," "When the Lights Go On Again."

Mrs. Shelley gave a discourse on the progress of South American agriculture and industries that have developed in all parts of South America since the war has closed overseas markets.

Mrs. Melissa Smith gave a reading.

Mervyn Keesling gave a report on marketing in relation to the prune industry.

In Keesling's report on tires and the rubber situation he said the government keeps 200,000 tons of crude rubber on hand. Synthetic rubber is not developing very fast and very little rubber is coming from Brazil. The stock of rubber is gradually diminshing. Manufacture of new war tires has stopped for cars driving less than 560 miles a month. Inspection service is more particular. Said Keesling, "One must now put in two whole new sections of a tire before a permit will be granted for a new one.

At the next meeting of the Grange on March 23 District Deputy Ernest Coonradt will be present.

Submitted by
David Rutherford

CAMP FIRE GIRLS

On Monday, March 15, the Tanda Campfire Girls held their meeting at the Scout hall.

Betty Jurras (assistant guardian) gave the girls an oral test n preparation for Court of Honor.

Last Monday the group cooked and served a meal. The tables were very attractive with hand made nut cups containing candy hearts.

On Sunday, March 14 the girls attended the church services held at the Trinity church in San Jose, each girl receiving an Honor Bead for attending.

Virginia Lee Grattan
Scribe

Too Much Oil: Bad

Too much oil on the bearings of an electric motor is as bad as too little, because the excess oil soaks into the working parts where it collects dirt and destroys insulation.

Quotas

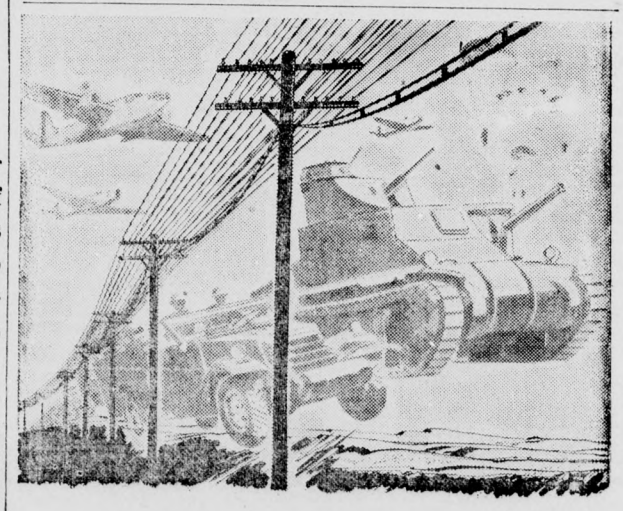
The AAA flue-cured tobacco marketing quota for 1943 has been set at 680,000,000 pounds, the same as in 1942, while the burley quota has been raised 10 per cent to 321,000 acres.

The Penguin

TO DO BUSINESS, ADVERTISE

Remember Autumn
Invest
A Dime Out of Every Dollar in
U.S. War Bonds

MARTIN S. WALSH
Attorney-at-Law
Campbell Office 99 E. Campbell Ave.
Office phone 3322 - Res. phone 3478



WAR
is on the wires

The Long Distance lines of the Nation are busy, as are the assembly lines of its tanks and plane factories, its gun and ammunition plants . . . and for the same reason. *War.*

And materials for building telephone lines are fighting materials now—no longer available for new lines to meet the ever-increasing volume of calls.

That is why we ask that only really necessary calls be made to war-busy centers. Your call might delay the production of a tank, a bomber or a ship.

Your co-operation is of real help. We appreciate it.

Your Dollars help AMERICAN RED CROSS make possible the

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY
70 S. Market
San Jose, Calif.
Phone—Dial Operator and ask for Business Office, San Jose

CHURCHES

Congregational Church Notes
J. H. Bennett, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School.

11:00 a. m. Second Lenten sermon. A modern study of the character of Judas.

6:30 a. m. Youth groups.

Tomorrow (Friday) evening the high school group, Miss Dorothy Merriman leader, will hold a social dance in the community hall, beginning at 8:30.

The organization of Cub Scout work in the Campbell district is proceeding satisfactorily. Parents are invited to the Cambrian school Wednesday evening, March 24, at 7:30 for a parent training class to be conducted by O. B. Mathews.

Campbell Methodist Church Notes
Donald H. Baldwin, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Mrs. Rose E. Hanger, Supt.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship service. The sermon: "Becoming A New Man." The second in the series of sermons on the general theme "When Religion Is Good."

Wednesday, March 24, 8:00 p. m. the Omega Circle at Mrs. Virginia Howard's on Milton avenue.

Entertained at a St. Patrick's Day dinner at the parsonage with Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Baldwin on Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Farley, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lynden, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buck, Mr. and Mrs. George Green, Miss Veva Nicholls, Dave Farley and Neal Kennedy.

The home was arranged to resemble an Irish restaurant with individual tables for the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon and Miss Nicholls played dinner music throughout the dinner hour. Dave Farley and Neal Kennedy acted as waiters and Frank Baldwin as check boy.

Campbell Pentecostal Mission
Assembly of God.
I. O. O. F. Building

Sunday, Bible school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11:00 a. m.

Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:45.

Strangers always welcome.

Rev. Herbert L. Johnson

Christian Science Churches

"It is the spirit that quickeneth, the flesh profiteth nothing." These words from John comprise the Golden Text to be used Sunday, March 21, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist. The subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Matter."

A passage from I Corinthians will be included among the Scriptural selections and a passage from the Christian Science textbook will be included in the Lesson-Sermon.

ST. LUCY'S CHURCH
Third and Rincon
Father J. Ryan
Father R. Reali, Asst.

9:30 a. m. Saturday—Sunday school.

7:00 a. m. and 9:00 a. m. Sunday—Mass.

WESTSIDE NAZARENE CHAPEL
Cor. L. G. Rd., Pioneer ave.
One Blk. N. County Hosp.
Orville S. Potter, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday school.

6:30 p. m. Young people's hour.

7:30 p. m. Evening Evangelistic service.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Midweek prayer service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Community Hall
Roy C. Hyde, Minister

10:00 a. m. Bible school, graded classes.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

7:30 p. m. Evening worship.

THE BOOK MARK
by marty

"I Saw the Fall of the Philippines" by Colonel Carlos P. Romulo.

This book came off the press immediately after the first of the year but its popularity has kept it on the reserve list every minute, and even now I feel guilty for holding it for myself to read for there are many who are waiting for it. But I am so enthused about it that I cannot keep from telling you something about it although I have iot read it all. However, I have read enough to discover that as a book with immediate interest to everyone it has no equal.

The author is personal aide to General MacArthur, and was the last man to leave Bataan. His first assignment after his appointment as personal aide to the General, was to investigate first hand the native attitude of the Chinese and the Javanese and all the other Orientals in the countries adjacent to the Philippines. His discoveries are dynamite. In fact, his manuscript was all set at the publishers ready to be made into a book when orders were issued from the U. S. Censorship office to delete certain passages. In order not to hold up the publication while it was proof read and reset, the publishers just blocked out these censored passages and all through the book you run on to those heavy black blocks and wonder what was beneath them.

It is not a new story that Colonel Romulo tells; it is a more tragic tale than we have ever heard from any other source about the helpless and hopeful people on the Island of Manila who hoped against all odds and held faith in their belief that their salvation would come from America. Despite their damnable bloody destruction, in the face of their tragic defeat, Romulo states that his people still place their faith in America and pray and know that their prayers will be answered and their country restored to them by America.

"I Saw the Fall of the Philippines" is a book that will be read and remembered by millions of us Americans in whom those Filipinos still hold faith, and those Americans will be fired with a new determination to finish the job that we are now working desperately to complete — regain the Philippines for the Filipinos.

Campbell High School P.-T. A. Has Meeting

Mrs. Carl Field conducted the meeting of the Campbell High School P.-T. A. Wednesday, March 10.

Reports of the year were given by chairmen and filed for future reference. Mrs. Anthony Jurras, head of the nominating committee, presented the following names for consideration and they were duty elected.

Mrs. H. G. Cousins, president; Mrs. Clarence Fagalde, vice-president; Miss Frances Parks, second vice-president; Mrs. Earl Booker, secretary; Mrs. Mary Dennis, treasurer; Mrs. Carl Field, parliamentarian; Mrs. R. C. Page, historian; W. H. Van Dyke, financial secretary, Mrs. G. E. Jeffers, auditor.

The newly organized junior dance orchestra gave a splendid demonstration. The group consists of Bill Smith, Malcolm Martin, Douglas Strong, Claude Grizzle, Bill Harrison, Franklin Dennis, Pete Flores and Betty Jean Jurras.

Mrs. J. W. Knowles encouraged members to assist in the present Red Cross drive, and Mrs. Paul Becker explained that the blood bank mobile unit comes to San Jose twice monthly and any interested donors are to contact Mrs. Field.

The questions were collected for the annual question box held in April and W. H. Van Dyke announced a home nutrition meeting on Mondays and Thursday at 3:30 in room 17, under Miss Elna Petersen, who is stressing "Nutrition Without Points."

Of great interest was the panel discussion held by students Ernest Esch, Phyllis Wythe, Betty Hilton, Carl Field and Dan Clark, on "Today Prepares for Tomorrow" and they each gave detailed accounts of the school's enlarged program to fit this generation for the days to come .

Ralph E. Noddin, of the faculty, gave an enlightening address on "Safety." He explained the traffic patrol system as executed by the boys. It is entirely student controlled, and self disciplined, the boys taking charge of a hazardous crossing that many school youngsters must cross six times daily.

A social hour was enjoyed in the sewing room with the senior mothers as hostesses.

Garden Forum Luncheon 27th

The San Jose Garden forum will have another in its series of programs on California natural resources at its luncheon on March 27 at the Hotel Sainte Claire, with two state officials giving short talks.

Dr. Richard Van Cleve, chief of the bureau of marine fisheries will cover briefly the fisheries of the Pacific coast, especially those of California.

Another important message will be delivered by the state oil and gasoline supervisor, Reid Bush.

Music for the occasion will be provided by Cecile Samuelson of Los Gatos. Her accompanist is Mrs. Jean Long of San Jose.

Reservations for the luncheon must be made by Thursday, March 25. Phone Ballard 8500.

A number of Campbell ladies have been attending the luncheons and several are planning on being present upon this occasion.

Frank Abernathy Guest Speaker at Kiwanis Meeting

Frank Abernathy,secretary of the Santa Clara County Milk Producer's association, spoke to the Kiwanis club Tuesday on "Government control of Industries in an age of free enterprise."

He stated that he forseees possible further control by government in spite of free enterprise.

"The 1935 legislature passed a law by which 65 per cent of the producers in an area could call for a control of price to the producer in that area, but not to the consumer. The later Desmond act amended the law to cover this omission, and included the control of price all the way from producer to and including the consumer." Practically 90 per cent of the milk in the state, he reported, is produced under this law. Due to labor cost rise, shortage of labor and other factors, he thinks the milk price structure will demand a further rise in price if permitted by the OPA.

Ray Mathis served as chairman.

Next week the various committees will report and entertainment will be supplied by some of the high school students. President W. H. Van Dyke will preside.

High Students Working For Minute Man Flag

One hundred per cent! That's the ultimate goal of Campbell High school students in their current War Stamp and Bond sale.

Started two weeks ago, the "Everybody — Every Wednesday" drive has shown progressively better results. The first week 95 per cent of Campbell's boys and girls made an investment in freedom, and this week, 99.2 per cent

Though very proud of this mark, they will not be satisfield until the 100 per cent mark is reached and sustained.

The drive started on March 8 with a bond rally assembly in the auditorium at which the entire student body of the school heartily applauded kick-off speeches by Captain W. McBryde and Ernest Esch, president of the council.

The student body is working toward the 100 per cent sale of bonds and stamps to obtain a Minute Man flag to fly under the Stars and Stripes at the school.

Seed Protection

Every possible precaution should be taken to avoid injury to available good corn seed by insects or rodents. If stored in tight containers, 20 ordinary moth balls per bushel of grain will give good protection and will not injure germination of the seed.

Phone Campbell 3549
J. G. BURNS
Plumbing, Gas, Sheet Metal, and Pump Work
35 So. 3rd St. Campbell, Cal

New Classes To Open At High School

It has been announced that a backyard pountry equipment, rabbit hutches, home vegetable and fruit dehydrator building class will open Saturday morning from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. in the agriculture shop at Campbell High school.

This class is being opened especially for those people unable to attend evening sessions, now in operation, because of swing or graveyard shift in defense work, or because of other reasons. Women are also urged to attend this class in equipment building.

The Campbell High school provides plans for the University of California type backyard poultry house, plans for an out-door brooder useful in raising meat birds or pullets, holding pens for meat bird production, and the University of California type vegetable and fruit home dehydrator, and many plans for different type rabbit hutches. Trained instructors are in charge of the classes and the hand tools and power equipment of the shop is free to use.

There is no entry fee to the class and all materials for construction are supplied at cost.

" We build the backyard poultry house, which houses 12 hens for about $13.50, our backyard sunshine brooder costs around $15 to build, complete with electric heating unit thermostat and it will brood about 75 chicks," said Kenneth Dwelley. "Holding pens to fatten meat birds and rabit hutches very with the type of construction. Vegetable and fruit dehydrators cost in the neighborhood of $5.60."

"All this equipment is simple and easy to build," said Dwelley. "Just because you are not skilled with a hammer and saw does not mean that you should not provide for eggs, meat and vegetables for your family in the harder times yet to come. Many women and men not skilled in the use of tools are doing an excellent job. All these units can be completed in a few class sessions."

Railroad on Lake Surface

A lake with a railroad on its surface is the amazing Lake Magadi, in Kenya, Africa—an expanse of crystallized soda 25 miles long and four miles wide.

OUR MEN NEED ★ BOOKS ★

SEND ALL YOU CAN SPARE

Help a man in uniform enjoy his leisure hours. Give your good books to the 1943 VICTORY BOOK CAMPAIGN. Leave them at the nearest collection center or public library.

The What Not
LENDING LIBRARY
NEW FICTION and NON-FICTION
2c PER DAY — MINIMUM 5c

SAT SUN HOL Cont. 2-11p CAMPBELL THEATRE Phone 3310

FRI., SAT., MARCH 19, 20
Monty Woolley - Ida Lupino in
"Life Begins at Eight-Thirty"
Humphrey Bogart
"Across the Pacific"

SUN.- MON.- TUES. 21-22-23
Bing Crosby - Bob Hope in
"Road to Morocco"
Richard Greene in
"Flying Fortress"

WED.-THURS., MARCH 24-25
Kathryn Grayson - Van Heflin
"Seven Sweathearts"
Freddie Bartholomew in
"Junior Army"
Ovenware Wednesday

CAMPBELL LUMBER COMPANY
LUMBER AND MILL WORK
BUILDING and ROOFING MATERIAL
Telephone Campbell 3656

FIELD'S STORE
THURS., FRI. & SAT. SPECIALS

KNOX GELATIN, reg.	20c
Comfort Toilet Tissue, 4 for	25c
LINIT STARCH, 12-oz.	10c
M. C. P. Powdered Pectin, 3-oz.	10c
SNAROL, 1-lb. 25c; 2½-lbs.	50c
BRIARDALE BROOMS, better quality	$1.05
Libby's Tomato Juice, No. 2 can	10c
Fontana Cel-Mac Paste, 1-lb. 15c; 2-lbs.	28c
Scotch Soap, granulated, giant pkg.	47c
Pond's Tissues, pkg. of 500	25c
Sierra Pine Soap, 4 bars	31c
Pillsbury's Cake Flour, large	29c
Scotch Cleanser	10c
Shurfine Shortening, 3-lbs.	67c
Sweetheart Toilet Soap, 4 for	24c

FIELD'S STORE
Phone 3494 Service & Dependability

The FARMERS CORNER

by RALPH H. TAYLOR

Executive Secretary Agricultural Council of California

The dangerously mounting food crisis in the United States threatens to become a national disaster of greater proportions than any military defeat we have sustained during the entire war, including that at Pearl Harbor — and the bitter tragedy of it all is that it stems directly from bureaucratic mismanagement rather than from any basic lack of productive capacity in the Nation's farming industry.

It is vital that the American people know the causes of the debacle and where to fix responsibility for it, because only an aroused public opinion can compel a change in administrative methods and personnel in Washington and avert the impending disaster.

And it is particularly vital that farmers, who know the facts from first-hand experience, should make them known to their neighbors, for it is now clearly apparent that bungling bureaucrats in the national capital, finally recognizing that the food situation is becoming a national scandal, are determined, if possible, to make agriculture the scapegoat.

A definite indication of the move to saddle agriculture with responsibility for the food crisis—which rightfully deserves to carry the label, "Made in Washington" — came to light a few days ago when Colonel Lewis Sanders of the Selective Service Bureau told the Senate Military Affairs Committee that there is little prospect of American farmers raising as much food this year as last and recommended that agriculture be "converted to a war-time basis" as a cure for the situation.

Mr. Sanders' program (this should make farmers smile, if it were not so serious) calls for the elimination of "tremendous waste" of manpower on farms. With farmers working longer hours than any other group of producers in the Nation and denied even proper equipment to work with, that statement caps the climax in bureaucratic buck-passing. As a "cure" he suggests farming by counties instead of by individual small farms, the consolidation of small farms (that certainly smells of collectivism) and reallocation of crops, government contracting of crops, importation of foreign labor (which farmers have been demanding for two years) and government insurance of planting costs.

Both Congress and the Nation are on the warpath at last about the conditions which have contributed to the present critical (but almost wholly artificial) food shortage—and just so there shall be no misunderstanding of what needs to be done to solve the situation, let's put the facts down in black and white:

Agriculture, if it is to produce to feed not only our own civilian population and our men in the armed forces, but also to meet lend-lease requirements, can't do it without farm machinery and replacement parts for its present equipment. Washington must recognize agriculture as a war industry, in fact as well as in theory, and permit it to have the tools to work with. It must also have fertilizer for the land and gasoline and rubber for its trucks and tractors.

The farmer must not be confronted with artificial price ceilings which force him to sell his commodities at a loss. Men who work for him can't be expected to stay on the farm when farm wages are held down by price ceilings and when war factory wages are soaring to new highs. In other words, farm parity prices must include wages. The farmer doesn't want subsidies; he just wants a price for his products which will permit him to pay his help, support his family, pay his taxes and plant a new crop for the new year. He wants to be in a position to produce quickly and abundantly, and thereby play his part in winning the victory.

That program doesn't require reorganizing American agriculture, but that program will provide food for all America and its Allies. We recommend it to the men in Washington who sincerely want to avoid a food crisis in this Nation.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 26885

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara.

In the Matter of the Estate of IDA M. THOMAS, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the last Will and Testament of Ida M. Thomas, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, State of California, within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice, or within said period to present the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Executor at the law offices of Bohnett, Hill and Cottrell, Room 1114 Bank of America Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, which said last named office is hereby specified by the undersigned as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

San Jose, Calif., this 11th day of March, A. D. 1943.

L. D. BOHNETT
Executor of the last Will and Testament of Ida M. Thomas, Deceased.

H. G. Hill, C. C. Cottrell and John B Bohnett,
1114 Bank of America Building
San Jose, California,
Attorneys for said Executor
(March 18, 25, April 1, 8, 1943)

David Adams, an aviation cadet, son of Mrs. Thelma McCoy Adams, has left for pre-flight training at Nashville, Tenn. Adams graduated from Campbell High in the class of 1941 and attended San Jose State before going into service.

Acid Indigestion

Relieved in 5 minutes or double your money back

When excess stomach acid causes painful, suffocating gas, sour stomach and heartburn, doctors usually prescribe the fastest-acting medicines known for symptomatic relief—medicines like those in Bell-ans Tablets. No laxative. Bell-ans brings comfort in a jiffy or double your money back on return of bottle to us. 25c at all druggists.

FRED MacMURRAY
star of the Paramount picture, "One Night in Lisbon," flashes a shining smile. Many Hollywood stars rely on Calox Tooth Powder to keep their teeth really clean—really sparkling.
CALOX TOOTH POWDER

MEN'S NIGHT

(Continued from Page 1)

manner and interesting comparisons of Mexican and American social life.

Mrs. Lindeman told of her girlhood on a large hacienda in Mexico and emphasized the importance of family life in that country. "Here in America," said Mrs. Lindeman, "we are always in a hurry. It is necessary to have a clock in every room."

Mrs. G. E. Jeffers, president of the club, presided at the speaker's table. After extending a welcome to the guests she conducted the brief meeting which preceded the program.

Also seated at the speaker's table were Mrs. W. H. Van Dyke, first vice-president; Mrs. Sue Boyce, second vice-president and acting secretary; Mrs. Joseph Agostinho, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. A. W. Wellington, director-at-large, as wel as Mrs. Anthony Jurras, chairman of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Klassen conducted the patriotic part of the program when members sang "The Star Spangled Banner."

Miss Lorraine Caudillo, popular entertainer from Santa Clara, sang a number of appropriate songs in both Spanish and English. She was accompanied by Rueben Gomez on the guitar.

Dancers from the Luva Stratton sudios in San Jose presented a program of dance which included Spanish, Gypsy, Polish and South American dances. The performers were Miss Barbara Jensen, Miss Betty Bright, Miss Audrey Greenley and Albert Kohle. Their accompanists were Mrs. Louis Widmann and Miss Betty Jurras.

A South American Conga in which all were invited to participate concluded this gala evening.

Assisting Mrs. Jurras were Mrs. W. H. Van Dyke, Mrs. Milton Robertson, Mrs. Howard Church, Mrs. S. N. Hedegard, Mrs. H. J. Smith, Mrs. J. W. Forward, Mrs. C. B. Reynolds, Mrs. Georgene Kidward and Miss Dorothy Dean.

Junior Red Cross At High School Doing Its Part

In keeping with Red Cross month, the Junior Red Cross at Campbell High school is doing its part, under the leadership of Helen Howell, president. It is hoped that 100 per cent membership will be obtained at the school.

The Junior Red Cross has been doing some fine work. They have given enough money to the Red Cross to fill ten ditty bags and also given $15 to the tuberculosis association. Classes in school have made five card table covers, ten hot water bottle covers and many other useful items. Right now they are collecting books for the armed forces. The art class has made seven covers for Braille books for the blind. On display in a store window this weeks is some of the work done by the Junior Red Cross.

Menuhin Concert Slated for April 30

Yehudi Menuhin, who has been acclaimed by the world since he was seven years old, has just been given the greatest honor ever accorded an American artist. He has been invited by the War Departments of the British and United States governments to go on a special bomber to England, there to play for the armed forces.

To accept this invitation, Menuhin has had to postpone his San Jose recital, scheduled for April 9, until April 30, and to cancel some ten other concerts. He will play for the RAF and USA camps in England, for all the munition factories and for Red Cross Benefit recitals in England, Scotland and Ireland.

Yehudi will be back at his home in Alma by April 20, in time to play his San Jose concert on April 30 and for a brief rest with his wife and two children before he has to leave on his Latin-American tour in early May.

Tickets for the Menuhin recital in San Jose are on sale now at the auditorium box office. Tickets dated April 9 are good on April 30.

YOU CAN GET ALONG WITHOUT ELECTRICITY AND WITHOUT ADVERTISING-- BUT WHY TRY?

OH!... MY BACK

HERE'S HAPPY RELIEF

If you suffer from backaches resulting from fatigue or exposure . . . if sore muscles or a stiff neck have got you laid up . . . SORETONE is what you need. It is a medicinal, analgesic solution developed in the famous laboratories of McKesson & Robbins in Bridgeport, Conn.

SORETONE acts fast—gives soothing relief right where relief is needed—speeds the superficial blood flow to the affected area. Also helps to prevent infection. Not an animal preparation—made for human beings. Wonderful, also, for sore, tired feet, and for relieving itch of Athlete's Foot. MONEY BACK IF NOT SATISFIED.

SORETONE
FOR ATHLETE'S FOOT - MUSCULAR PAINS

Kidneys Must Work Well-

For You To Feel Well

24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood.

If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of *why* the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.

Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer nagging backache, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at nights, swelling.

Why not try *Doan's Pills*? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. *Doan's* stimulate the function of the kidneys and help them to flush out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get *Doan's* today. Use with confidence. At all drug stores.

DOAN'S PILLS

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE

BY TOPPS

IN WORLD WAR 1 IT WAS 40 MEN AND 8 HORSES TO A BOX CAR. THIS TIME 260 SOLDIERS TRAVEL IN A MONSTER, TWO-DECKER PLYWOOD BUS
UNDER NORMAL CONDITIONS A SOLDIER'S WOOLEN COAT LASTS 33 MONTHS, HIS WOOLEN TROUSERS 14½ MONTHS, HIS OVERCOAT 36 MONTHS, HIS SHOES 5 TO 7 MONTHS, AND HIS WOOLEN SHIRT 6 MONTHS
A NEW ALL-PURPOSE FOAM HAS BEEN DEVELOPED WHICH WILL EXTINGUISH ALCOHOL FIRES. IT IS INTRODUCED INTO THE WATER STREAM BEING PLAYED ON THE FIRE
BECAUSE OF THEIR FRAGRANT QUALITY, NUTMEGS WERE SUSPENDED ON CHAINS AND WORN BY WOMEN IN OLD ENGLAND
AN AMPHIBIOUS GLIDER IS THE NEWEST WEAPON OF THE U.S. NAVY

Largest in S. America

At one time ground sloths were the largest and probably the most numerous animals native to South America, says a Field museum paleontologist.

MASONIC NOTICE

Charity Lodge No. 362, F & A. M., Campbell, Calif. Stated Meetings held on the first Monday of each month

W. H. Van Dyke. W. M.

T. A. Robinson, Secretary

FOR SALE—Round oak dining table, 6 chairs. Phone Campbell 3885.

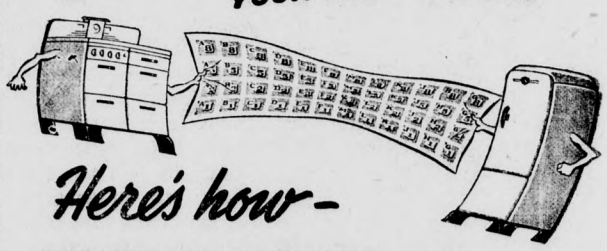
Independent Order of Odd Fellows

Morning Light Lodge No. 42 meets every Thursday evening in I.O.O.F. Hall. Sojourning members are cordially invited to attend the lodge meetings.

J. H. BACHMAN, N. G.

A. E. Brydon, Secty.

S-T-R-E-T-C-H YOUR FOOD COUPONS



Here's how—

NUTRITIVE COOKING and PROTECTIVE REFRIGERATION can help conserve Rationed Foods

Be on guard against the invisible food losses in your kitchen. These food losses are the destruction of vitamins and minerals that are present in all foods. Improper preparation and cooking, storage and preservation of foods can cause the loss of two-thirds of the strength and energy value naturally present.

NUTRITIVE COOKING IS EASY TO DO

Follow these three simple rules...

1. Use little or no water. Use just enough water to prevent sticking and avoid letting foods soak too long in water before cooking—are two important points to remember.

2. Start Fast and Cook Quickly. Bring foods to cooking temperature quickly. This means you cook by the steam which is generated in your pots and pans.

3. Avoid Violent Boiling. When foods come to a steam, reduce the heat to lowest temperature to maintain steaming. Long time boiling dissolves minerals.

PROTECTIVE REFRIGERATION

...means storing food safely

1. 40 degrees is the Safety Line. For safety most foods should be stored in your refrigerator as soon as they arrive from the market. The main food compartment in your refrigerator should be kept at about 40 degrees.

2. Control Bacteria in Milk. Do not let milk stand on a sunny doorstep. Pop it into your refrigerator as soon as it arrives. Bacteria in milk increases 25 times faster at 55 degrees than milk at refrigerator temperature of 40 degrees. Bacteria means sour milk.

3. Meat Needs Your Special Care. Meat must be kept colder than milk. Meat bacteria develops 12,000 times faster at 55 degrees than at the safe line of 40 degrees in your refrigerator. Meat is scarce. Keep it safely refrigerated.

Come into any P. G. and E. office for your free copy of the 32 page booklet, "The Lady Of the House and Her Mechanical Servants." See page 15 about—"How to store food in your refrigerator."

P·G·and E·

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

GE-8W-343

LOST

Lost, a cough due to a cold—thanks to the soothing action of Smith Brothers Cough Drops. Smith Bros. Cough Drops contain a special blend of medicinal ingredients, blended with prescription care. And they still cost only 5¢ a box. *Yes, a nickel checks that tickle.*

SMITH BROS. COUGH DROPS

BLACK OR MENTHOL—5¢

TRADE MARK